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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
T. Kuroda, et al.

Serial No.: **10/019,433**

Art Unit: **1733**

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Examiner: **S. Berman**

For: **Adhesive Composition And Joining Method Utilizing The Adhesive Composition**

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the official Office Action mailed November 9, 2005, in the matter of the above-identified application, the undersigned kindly responds as follows: